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PROSPECTUS.

The Dasara Industrial and Agricultural Exhibition will be opened at Mysore on the 3rd October 1916 and will continue for a period of fifteen days till the 18th October 1916.

The main object of the exhibition is to encourage the Arts and Industries of the State by presenting a display of the resources, processes of manufacture and products of the State together with similar products turned out in other parts of India. It is proposed to show not only the methods of manufacture generally in vogue but also the improvements that are being introduced with the aid of the Technical Departments of Government as well as the endeavours of the Economic Conference. With a view to obtain a collective idea of the agricultural and industrial resources of each district in the State, it has been decided to request the

District Committees to collect and arrange the exhibits from their districts, each in a separate room. Space will also be reserved to such of the Technical Departments of Government who propose to take part in the Exhibition. It is also contemplated to have a large exhibit of Industrial Machinery in motion for which special accommodation has been provided and supply of power will, if desired, also be arranged for. Owing to the difficulty in arranging for the imports of machinery from abroad, it is hoped that the occasion will be utilised by the local Engineering Firms as an opportunity to place on the market Industrial Machinery made in India.

The Exhibition is open to all India and it has been decided not to levy any fees for the space allotted except in cases specially provided for in the accompanying rules. For the convenience of visitors and to encourage trade, sale rooms have been set apart in the Exhibition Buildings and permission to put up temporary booths of approved types in the open grounds, will be accorded by the Exhibition Committee. A Post and Telegraph Office will be opened at the Exhibition premises from the 15th September 1916 and will continue to be maintained up to 15th of December 1916. Special arrangements have been made with the Railway authorities for the unloading of heavy goods at the siding close to the Exhibition. The concessions granted by the Railway Companies in India are noted in the appendix.

An admission fee of annas two per head will be levied for entry into the Exhibition buildings and season tickets will also be issued at one rupee per head. Return Railway tickets between Bangalore and Mysore at a reduced rate entitling the holder for admission into the Exhibition during the whole period, will be arranged for.

The Mysore Exhibition Committee who are responsible for all the arrangements connected with the Exhibition, invite the cordial co-operation of every one interested in the agricultural and industrial development of India in their endeavours to make the Exhibition fruitful of results.

C. RANGANATHA RAO SAHIB,
Secretary, Dasara Exhibition.

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GENERAL RULES.

Particulars regarding Exhibits.

1. Exhibitors are requested to send to the Secretary to the Exhibition Committee, particulars of exhibits they propose to forward and the amount of space required by them in an application form similar to that given in Appendix A; printed forms may be obtained from the District Divisional and Taluk Offices in the State as well as from the Secretary to the Exhibition Committee.

Application from Exhibitors.

2. Applications should reach the Secretary not later than 1st September 1916. Each application should contain a post card with the full address of the exhibitor and the receipt of the application will be acknowledged by returning the card duly signed wherein the number allotted to the exhibitor will also be intimated.

Nature of Exhibits.

3. All articles of indigenous art and manufacture as well as machinery and manufacturing processes of foreign origin will be admitted as exhibits. Other articles of foreign manufacture will only be accepted if in the opinion of the Committee they are likely to promote or develop Mysore Art or Industries.

Classification of Exhibits.

4. The division in Courts and classification of exhibits as shown in the Prospectus, will be adhered to as far as possible.